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# A message from the Secretary

Dear Friends:

As someone who has spent his life working with children and families, nothing pains me more than to see the devastating effects violence is having in our communities today. As the founder of the Jesse White Tumbling Team, my work with troubled youths has instilled in me a strong belief that, working together, we can make a real difference in people's everyday lives.



When I was chairman of the House Human Services Committee in the Illinois General Assembly, I worked hard to craft laws that would help families step up and out of their seemingly hopeless predicaments and lead them to better lives and brighter futures.

Now, as Secretary of State, I am proud that my office is involved in anti-violence efforts by making available "Prevent Violence" license plates. This is the first program in the United States to promote early intervention on behalf of endangered children and troubled families through a coordinated effort of public health and safety professionals, churches, schools, women's organizations and community groups.

Each "PV" plate purchased will help the Illinois Violence Prevention Authority to make grants for innovative violence prevention efforts throughout Illinois. Featuring a white dove of peace against a purple background, the plates provide a means of showing your support of this important cause.

I assure you my continued efforts toward positive change in the lives of Illinois families and children. You can help by using the attached form to order your PV plates today.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jesse White". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name.

JESSE WHITE  
Secretary of State

## **Prevent Violence Plate Facts:**

- "PV" plates are multi-year and feature two symbols of peace—a dove with an olive branch in its beak—on a purple and blue background. The plate number is followed by a stacked "PV" suffix.
- "PV" plates may be displayed on passenger cars and on trucks and vans weighing 8,000 pounds or less.
- Each set of "PV" plates sold generates \$25 for violence prevention efforts in Illinois.
- Vanity and personalized "PV" plates are available for an additional fee.

## **Prevent Violence License Plate registration and fee information**

**If your current plates expire within 60 days, submit:**

- Prevent Violence Plate request form,
- license plate renewal application,
- \$40 original issuance fee and
- \$78 registration renewal fee.

**If your current plates do not expire within 60 days, submit:**

- Prevent Violence Plate request form,
- license plate registration application,
- current registration ID card,
- \$40 original issuance fee and
- \$14 replacement fee.

**If you want plates for a newly-acquired vehicle, submit:**

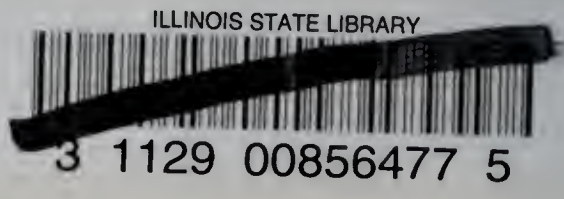
- Prevent Violence Plate request form,
- license plate registration application,
- \$143 title and registration fee,
- \$40 original issuance fee and
- appropriate taxes made payable to the Illinois Department of Revenue.

# Prevent Violence License Plate Request Form

Name
Street Address
City, State, ZIP
Daytime Phone Number (     )

Please send this and other applicable forms, along with a check or money order (payable to Secretary of State) to:

Secretary of State  
Vehicle Services Department  
Processing Plus Section  
501 S. Second St. Room 011  
Springfield, IL 62756





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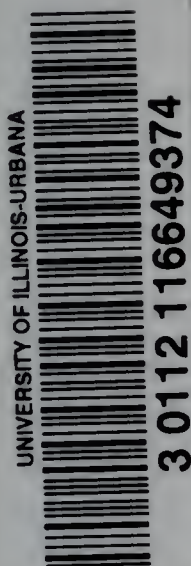
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Prevent Violence license plates are available at the following Secretary of State facilities:

### Chicagoland:

- **Charles Chew Jr.**  
9901 S. Martin Luther King Dr.
- **Chicago West**  
5301 W. Lexington Ave.
- **Chicago East**  
100 W. Randolph
- **Chicago North**  
5401 N. Elston Ave.
- **Lombard**  
837 S. Westmore
- **Naperville**  
931 W. 75th St., Suite 161



### Downstate:

- **Bloomington**  
1510 W. Market St.
- **Carbondale**  
1927 W. Main St.
- **Champaign**  
2401 W. Bradley
- **Decatur**  
3149 N. Woodford
- **Granite City**  
1810 Edison
- **Peoria**  
2010 N. Knoxville
- **Quincy**  
2512 Katherine Rd.
- **Springfield**  
108 Howlett Building or  
2701 S. Dirksen Parkway

Requests also may be mailed to the Secretary of State's office (see attached request form).

**For more information, call:**

**(800) 252-8980**

**or**

**(217) 785-9364**

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